

IN THE MATTER OF the Nova Scotia Criminal Code Review Board

AND IN THE MATTER OF the accused, Jeremy Ross Williams

AND IN THE MATTER OF a hearing held pursuant to s.672.81(1) (Annual Hearing) of the Criminal Code of Canada

### **DISPOSITION ORDER**

WHEREAS on the 12th day of March 2013, the accused was found Not Criminally Responsible on account of a mental disorder on charges of Assault using a Weapon, contrary to Section 267(a) of the Criminal Code of Canada;

AND WHEREAS on the 5 th day of September 2013, the accused was found Not Criminally Responsible on account of a mental disorder on the charge of Assault, contrary to Section 267 of the Criminal Code of Canada;

AND WHEREAS the accused is presently detained at the East Coast Forensic Psychiatric Hospital;

AND WHEREAS a hearing was held at the East Coast Forensic Hospital via Teams on the 13 th day of May 2024, to make a Disposition Order pursuant to s.672.54 of the Criminal Code of Canada.

AND WHEREAS the East Coast Forensic Hospital is designated for the custody, treatment, or assessment of the accused, in respect of whom an assessment order, disposition or placement decision is made.

IT IS ORDERED that the accused be detained in the East Coast Forensic Psychiatric Hospital, with a Board ceiling level of L1 except for urgent and immediate medical

purposes. The Board continues to be supportive of detention in a non-Nova Scotia facility most appropriate to the accused in the judgment of the forensic team, including jurisdictional transfer if appropriate and with relevant Ministerial consents.

**AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that if the accused is arrested pursuant to section 672.91 of the Criminal Code for a breach or anticipated breach of the terms of this disposition, they may, under section 672.92(1)(b) of the Criminal Code, be delivered to the East Coast Forensic Hospital, 88 Gloria McCluskey Avenue, Dartmouth, Nova Scotia.

**THIS IS THEREFORE TO COMMAND YOU**, the Director, Mental Health Program, Nova Scotia Health Authority, in His Majesty's name, to execute the terms of this Order. The Board delegates to them the authority to increase or decrease the liberties of the accused pursuant to section 672.56(1), subject to the comments contained in the reasons for disposition.

**DATED** at Halifax, this *28* day of May, 2025



---

Raffi Balmanoukian, Chairperson  
NOVA SCOTIA REVIEW BOARD

TO: the accused, Jeremy Ross Williams  
AND TO: Director, Mental Health Program, Nova Scotia Health Authority  
AND TO: Public Prosecution Service  
AND TO: Asaf Rashid, counsel for the accused